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## AFTER THE INSURGENTS

American Forces Land at San Fabian Under Protection of the Fleet.

## GUNBOATS MAINTAIN HEAVY FIRE.

General Wheaton's Troops Rush West Deep Through the Reef Gunboats—Battalions Form in Good Order—Charge Right and Left, Firing Volley After Volley at the Floating Natives.

MANILA, Nov. 11.—The landing of the American troops at San Fabian, Tuesday, was the most spectacular affair of its kind since General Shafter's disembarkation at Balquiza. The cooperation of the troops and the navy was complete. The gunboats maintained a terrific bombardment for an hour, while the troops rushed west deep through the surf under a heavy but badly aimed rifle fire from the insurgent trenches and charged right and left, pouring volley after volley at the fleeing rebels. Forty Filipinos were captured, mostly non-commissioned officers. Several insurgent leaders and five wounded men were taken to a building which had suffered considerably from the bombardment. The town was well fortified. The sand dunes were riddled with holes and the few trees, which afforded a fine cover.

When the transports arrived in the Gulf they found the gunboats Princeton, Bennington and picked up the line. After consultation with General Wheaton, Commander Knox of the Princeton and Commander Sheridan of the Bennington, the line of gunboats moved shoreward the line inside the Helena, Callao and Manila close in shore.

With the first gun of the bombardment small boats were filled rapidly without confusion by Major Cronin's battalion of the Twenty-third infantry and Captain Buck's battalion of the Thirtieth infantry. While the line of boats moved shoreward the gunboats poured the full force of their batteries into the trenches, soon forcing the insurgents to seek cover behind the barrows and back of the trenches.

About 200 men held their places until the keels of the boats grated on the shore, when their Mauder bullets commenced a stinging overhead. The battalions formed in good order. Captain Buck pursued the insurgents on the left into the bamboo thickets.

On the right, which was a trail footbridge across the river leading to the town, General Wheaton, personally commanding, ordered a charge across the bridge and Captain Howard of his staff led Colonel Elliott's companies of the Thirtieth and Shields' company of the Twenty-third, who behaved splendidly under their first fire.

The town, which was found to be deserted except by the aged and some Spaniards who had hidden in the buffalo wallows and who came shouting delightedly toward the Americans.

The companies of the Twenty-third had a skirmish along the Dagupan road with the retreating Filipinos. Major Shields of the staff, with his command, captured several insurgents and placing the country on a firm financial basis. Under the terms of the agreement the money will be loaned for a term of twenty-five or thirty years at a rate of interest of 4 per cent. In addition the syndicate will be allowed to control a certain percentage of the customs receipts of the island.

FOR INTIMIDATION AT POLLS.

Arrival in Kentucky for Interference With Colored Voters.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 11.—Burdett Williams, winged Thompson and Coleman Carter have been arrested by the police here on charges of intimidation of colored voters on Tuesday. This makes a total of nine warrants of this kind issued by the federal court, and it is understood that probably 10 more will be issued.

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## RUMOR OF BIG BOSS.

Reported at Amsterdam British Regiment.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—Another rumor emanating from Amsterdam sources says: "A British regiment was decimated Friday by Free Staters."

It is said that the British soldiers were killed or wounded and that 300 horses were captured. The British war office has received from General Buller the following dispatch:

"CAPE TOWN, Thursday evening, Nov. 9.—Have received by pigeon-post from General White today the following: 'The bombardment at long range by heavy guns continues daily. A few casualties are occurring, but no serious harm is being done.'

The Boers sent in today a number of refugees from the Transvaal under a flag of truce. A flag of truce from Ladysmith met them outside the pickets. When the party separated the Boer guns fired on it before it reached our pickets.

Major Gomm and the Royal Engineers was wounded today while sending a message.

"The entrenchments are daily growing stronger, and the supply of provisions is ample."

NOBART GROWS STRONGER.

Family Now Hopes for Recovery in Spite of Doctors' Statements.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 11.—There was another change for the better in Vice President Hobart's condition yesterday. He was able to sit up in a chair in his room and picked up a newspaper and examined it, eventually turning to Mrs. Hobart and asking her to read for him.

Mrs. Hobart is evidently stronger and took more nourishment than at any time since his bad attack of nearly two weeks ago. Despite the statements of attending physicians, the family has hopes of his recovery. They had renewed hopes from the fact that he was able to sit up for a long period, and by the way in which he apparently relished his food.

JEFF DAVIS MONUMENT.

Daughters of the Confederacy Will Carry Project Through.

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 11.—The convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy today decided to assume the responsibility of raising a monument to the memory of President Jefferson Davis and to erect a monument to the United Confederate Veterans at their last convention.

The corner stone of the proposed monument was laid in a public park in this city in 1896, and it is designed that it shall be a memorial not only to Mr. Davis, but of the "lost cause."

MONEY FOR GUATEMALA.

American and European Bankers to Advance Sum of \$15,000,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 11.—The Evening Post tonight states that a syndicate of American, English and German bankers has agreed to perfect arrangements with the government of Guatemala to advance to that country \$15,000,000, relieving it of its debt and placing the country on a firm financial basis. Under the terms of the agreement the money will be loaned for a term of twenty-five or thirty years at a rate of interest of 4 per cent. In addition the syndicate will be allowed to control a certain percentage of the customs receipts of the island.

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## DEWEY TAKES A WIFE

Hero of Manila Bay Quietly Married to Mrs. Mildred Hazen.

WEDDING ARRANGEMENTS SECRET.

Ceremony Performed at the National Capital—Wedding Breakfast Served at the Residence of Mrs. McLean, After Which the Couple Leaves for New York.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—Admiral George Dewey and Mrs. Mildred M. Hazen were married quietly at the rectory of St. Paul's Catholic church in V street near First street, shortly before 10 o'clock yesterday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Joseph H. Foley, assistant pastor, and Rev. Sidney Harburt, the officiating clergyman was Mrs. Washington McLean and Mrs. Ludlow, wife of Admiral Ludlow, mother and sister respectively of the bride, and Lieutenant Caldwell, Admiral Dewey's secretary.

The arrangements for the wedding were made with all the secrecy which was attended to the whole affair. After procuring the license for the wedding yesterday Lieutenant Caldwell called on Father Mackin of St. Paul's, of which Mrs. Hazen is a communicant, and arranged for the wedding this morning. As Admiral Dewey is not a Catholic a special dispensation was required, and this was granted by Father Mackin from Bishop Curran, vicar general of the diocese of Baltimore, who granted it in the absence of Cardinal Gibbons, who is at present in New Orleans. Father Mackin went to Baltimore for this purpose yesterday afternoon.

At 9:45 this morning two carriages containing the wedding party drove before the modest red brick rectory in the rear of St. Paul's. The general public had no intimation that the ceremony was to take place until a single spectator was present as the party alighted. Admiral Dewey and Lieutenant Caldwell quickly stepped from their carriage and the bride and groom, the bride-elect and her mother and sister from the other carriage. Mrs. Hazen was gowned in a pearl gray suit, and she wore a hat of black and white with silver fox and lined with lavender silk. The admiral wore a black frock coat, arrayed in a simple and dignified manner.

Upon entering the rectory they were ushered into the reception room, where Admiral Dewey was presented to Father Mackin and the two clergyman who were to assist in the ceremony. Upon being presented to Father Mackin the admiral said that he had heard that Father Mackin had in his early years been a sailor and it gave him additional happiness to know that he was to be married by a clergyman who had at one time followed the same trade as his own.

The ceremony was performed with the ring according to the usual rites of the Catholic church.

FIGURES ON THE ELECTION.

Plans for Successful Candidates in Form of Twenty-five or Thirty Years.

Ohio—Plurality for Nash (rep.) for governor, 50,000.

Iowa—Plurality for Shaw (rep.) for governor, 90,000.

Nebraska—Estimated plurality for Taylor (rep.) for governor, 7,000.

Massachusetts—Plurality for Crane (rep.) for governor, 65,000.

Pennsylvania—Plurality for Barnett (rep.) for treasurer, 12,000.

South Dakota—Estimated plurality for republican supreme court judges, 7,000.

New York—Legislature republican by majority of 35,000.

New Jersey—Legislature republican by plurality of 8,000.

Maryland—Plurality for Smith (dem.) for governor, 11,000.

Nebraska—Plurality for Holcomb (rep.) for supreme judge, 15,000.

At Gold on the Elections.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Nov. 10.—Ex-Governor Algebe of Illinois spent yesterday in Sioux City and last night lectured to the republican club. He spoke in the evening at the local Trades and Labor assembly. Mr. Algebe was asked to express an opinion on the recent election. He said of course it is to be understood that he is not speaking in the name of the republican party in Nebraska. So far as South Dakota is concerned he expresses no apprehension of the success of his party in that state, even though it has some republican this time. Mr. Algebe said the fact that the republicans got a majority at all is because the democrats were so badly beaten in the other states. He says the voting was done by the republicans in the towns and cities and the followers of Bryan in the rural districts did not take enough interest in the election to go to the polls.

Jones and the Philippines.

TELEGRAPH, Nov. 10.—Major Jones today issued a signed statement, in which he denies that he had said, "If my race has in any way contributed to the success of John R. McLean, I will be glad to have the policy of the administration. I feel it has not been in vain." Major Jones then says of imperialism:

"I believe in the non-partisan vote of the American people. I believe in the Christian policy toward the Philippines. Personally, I believe the Philippines have a right to be free as well as the American people. I have frankly said so whenever the question was raised, but I have not thought whatever of trying to represent any other man as representing me. I will be glad to be free to speak for myself."

Iowa Returns All In.

DES MOINES, Nov. 10.—The last of the republican returns from Iowa today showed a complete victory for Governor Shaw a plurality of 90,000. The republican party was victorious this year in four out of ninety-nine counties in the state. Two years ago Fred E. Whitte carried twenty-one counties in the state.

Over 100,000 Plurality.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 10.—Complete figures from every county in the state, nearly all of the unofficial footings of the official returns, show that the plurality of Barnett (rep.) for state treasurer over Creasy (dem.) is 106,313. The full vote was Barnett (rep.), 429,730; Creasy (dem.), 320,573; Caldwell (pro.), 10,962; total vote, 761,265. A large majority of the vote for state treasurer in 1897 and 1894 less than the vote for governor last year. Barnett was the victim of considerable cutting, falling about 200 votes below Brown, the republican candidate for supreme court judge.

Bombarding Kimberly.

## KENTUCKY YET IN DOUBT.

The Votes Will Have to Be Canvassed for Results.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 10.—The county returning boards met in all the counties today to canvass the returns, and until then the result of Tuesday's election will be the toast. Both sides are charging fraud.

Governor Bradley is being telegraphed by hundreds of republicans offering to come to the state capital to prevent Taylor being counted out.

Chairman Young of the democratic state central committee charges the republicans with attempting to perpetrate fraud in the mountain districts, where the heavy republican vote lies. Young says the official county by county returning boards today will give Brown over 4,000. He also says all minor candidates on the state ticket win, though by less pluralities than Goebel.

Senator Goebel received the following telegram tonight:

"Hon. William Goebel, Frankfort, Ky.: We just learned that returns are enough complete to insure your election. We are confident that your administration will strengthen the party. W. J. BRYAN."

CLAIMS AND COUNTER CLAIMS.

Likely to Be a Contest in the Kentucky Election.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 10.—A confessed republican and a confessed democrat, which the official count or perhaps a contest before the legislature, is all that is left of Tuesday's election. It would seem to indicate that Holcomb's plurality would be somewhere in the neighborhood of 15,000. The remainder of the state ticket varies but little from the head.

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## RESULTS OF ELECTIONS

Figures That Now Begin to Determine the Outcome.

IN SOME CASES NEARLY OFFICIAL.

Additional Returns From Nebraska, Ohio, Iowa, New York and Other States—First Reports Not Far Out of the Way—The Fusion Majority in Nebraska About 18,000.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 9.—The Bee says: Sufficient returns have now been received to give a pretty definite idea of the result of the election in the evening of the day of election it was apparent that Silas A. Holcomb had been elected judge of the supreme court over Reese, republican, but not until yesterday were enough complete returns by counties received to give anything like a definite idea of the size of the majority. A completed count representing about three-fourths of the vote of the state and partial returns from most of the others are presented.

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